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\*\*\*\*\*PRESS RELEASE\*\*\*\*

December 23, 2013

Re: People v. Rebecca Cristal Sandoval

Santa Barbara County District Attorney Joyce E. Dudley announced today that as a result of the tragic death of Linda Wall, 68, of Buellton, a Murder charge has been filed against Rebecca Cristal Sandoval, 37, of Lompoc. Sandoval is also charged with Felony Gross Vehicular Manslaughter While Intoxicated, and Felony Driving under the Influence of Drugs Causing Bodily Injury. These charges arise from a traffic collision that occurred in front of the Chumash Casino in Santa Ynez on December 19, 2013. Simona Mikusova, 28, was also injured during this event. Sandoval is also charged with a Misdemeanor count of Driving under the Influence of Drugs arising from a separate incident on July 11, 2013.

Arraignment is scheduled for Monday, December 23, 2013 in Department 9 of the Santa Maria Superior Court.

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